Opioid Use Disorder Preferred/Formulary Drugs for Fee-for-Service, Medallion 4.0 and Commonwealth Coordinated Care (CCC) Plus Health Plans

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The following drugs **do not require a prior authorization (PA)** when prescribed by a buprenorphine waivered practitioner (BWP) in-network or credentialed with a managed care health plan:

- Suboxone® SL film < 24mg/day per Board of Medicine guidance
- Buprenorphine/naloxone SL tab < 24mg/day per Board of Medicine guidance
- Sublocade™ SQ

Buprenorphine monoproduct < 24mg/day **per Board of Medicine guidance** for pregnant patients (determined by pregnancy diagnosis, prenatal vitamins, or diagnosis indicated on PA). Preferred Office-Based Opioid Treatment (OBOT) providers may prescribe without restrictions.

The opioid antagonists below may be written by any in-network or credentialed prescriber:

- Naloxone syringe & vial
- Naltrexone tab
- Narcan® Nasal Spray
- Vivitrol®

The following drugs **require a PA** when prescribed by a buprenorphine waivered practitioner (BWP) in-network or credentialed with a managed care health plan:

- Buprenorphine/naloxone SL film
- Cassipa®
- Probuphine®
- Zubsolv
- Evzio® injection

All Buprenorphine Containing Drugs (non-preferred) and Evzio® require submission of a service authorization.

DMAS Managed Care Health Plans include:

- Aetna Better Health
- Anthem HealthKeepers Plus
- Molina Complete Care
- Optima Family Health
- United Healthcare
- Virginia Premier